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GARNER FOR MOVE IN THE CONTROL OVER WPA FUNDS

Vice President Into Active
Part In Interest Of
Communities

VIEW DIFFERS WITH SENATOR BARKLEY

Meeting Of Senate Relief
Committee Is Called
For Wednesday

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—(P)—Vice President Garner was described authoritatively today as taking an active part in efforts to give local communities more control over expenditures of WPA funds.

Garner is understood to have told close associates he believed the problem of keeping politics out of relief could be met at least in part by setting up non-partisan boards in each county. These boards would examine complaints of political misuse of relief money or discrimination against relief applicants.

He has told his friends these boards should be purely local agencies, appointed by local officials entirely free from WPA control.

This view differs sharply from that of Senator Barkley (D-Ky.), who said yesterday he believed if such boards were set up they should be appointed by the WPA.

Barkley, the Democratic floor leader, said he never had favored the current practice of having a local certifying agent, appointed by a local official, accept the responsibility for designating those eligible for relief. He said he believed WPA should accept this responsibility.

Relief Group To Meet.

After hearing of Barkley's statement, Garner conferred with Senator Byrnes (D-SC), floor manager for WPA appropriation bills.

Byrnes said later he had not made up his mind on details of relief legislation. He called a meeting of the senate relief committee for next Wednesday.

Byrnes has said previously he believes some specific prohibition against political coercion of relief employees would be inserted in the next WPA appropriations bill. He also has been working on a formula by which relief might be apportioned to states according to need, population, area and other factors.

In the house, meanwhile, influential members intimated the appropriations committee might curb the administration's relief program for the year beginning July 1.

Some legislators talked of letting the committee make a long-discussed investigation of the entire relief set-up, including any political aspects it may have.

Such an inquiry, they said, probably would be delayed until an appropriation to carry relief through June 30 is out of the way. Then, when the administration makes its recommendations for next year, the committee would have to decide whether to continue WPA and on what financial basis it should operate.

Some members predicted the committee would surround the relief program with restrictions, perhaps by earmarking the money for specific uses and types of work-relief projects.

The relief bill for the remainder of the current fiscal year may be given right of way over all other legislation in the house. Brief hearings are planned as soon as possible after the President sends up his estimate of the money needed and the appropriations committee is organized for the session.

Committee organization also was a topic of discussion in the senate, where the Democratic and Republican leaders, Barkley of Kentucky and McNary of Oregon, arranged to talk over the question of giving Republicans increased representation on committees.

Senators and house members are arriving on almost every train, ready for the opening of congress next Tuesday.

PENALTY ON TAXES AFTER SATURDAY

Saturday is the last day for the payment of city and county taxes without additional penalties. Effective January 1 there is a one per cent interest per month and two per cent county commission added to the county taxes. The city likewise has a three per cent penalty the first of January, with an additional one per cent each month up to ten per cent. The city's three per cent is divided, two per cent to the collector, one per cent to

BUYING PEPPED UP BY COLD WEATHER

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—(P)—The usual post-Christmas drop in retail trade was cushioned this week by "disposal sales" and increased buying of apparel due to colder weather, Dun & Bradstreet reported today in their weekly business review.

Final reports of the Christmas shopping season," said the review, indicated a drop of approximately 2 per cent for the country as a whole compared with the same period a year ago.

"Most retailers thought the totals encouraging, considering the slow start of buying this year, the smaller unit sale, and the lower price average.

"Post-Christmas business showed up even more favorably, with results for this week estimated 1 to 4 per cent better than the final week of 1937.

RESTORATION OF RISK CARE FEES SOUGHT IN SUIT

L. H. Cook, H. P. Lauf, Attorneys, and Guy M. Sone, Defendants

JEFFERSON CITY, Dec. 31.—(P)—Restoration of \$147,000 in fire insurance case fees paid three Jefferson City men and voided by the supreme court was asked today in a suit filed in the Cole circuit court.

The suit, filed in the name of state insurance Superintendent George A. S. Robertson, was prepared by Attorney General Roy McKittrick's office. McKittrick has been an arch foe of the fees.

L. H. Cook and H. P. Lauf, attorneys named as custodians and commissioners of the impounded funds in the 10 per cent case, were sued for \$59,500 each. Guy M. Sone, Cole county clerk appointed custodian of the 16.2-3 per cent funds, was sued for \$28,000.

The petition said demands for payment had been made to the three men following the high court decisions, but without result. Six per cent interest on the money from the date of its receipt was asked.

The fees paid Cook and Lauf were thrown out by the court last April, and Sone's fees in October. The allowances were made by Circuit Judge Nike G. Sevier of Cole county.

Fees totaling \$15,000 paid Gilbert Lamb, Salisbury, attorney for Cook and Lauf in the 10 per cent case, also were voided by the court. Suit to recover this sum was filed previously in Osage county, where Lamb now lives.

T. S. Mosby, Jefferson City, attorney for Sone in the 16.2-3 per cent case, received \$54,000 in fees, but he was not included in the suit filed today because he has moved to California.

The \$147,000, if recovered, would be restored to the impounded 10 per cent and 16.2-3 per cent funds, for repayment to policyholders. The fee allowances were made from the funds, which the supreme court ruled should go back to the policyholders who paid them in excess premiums.

PURSE SNATCHER OVERLOOKS \$20

Carroll Shull, 17, 407 North Hill, was arrested Thursday night and accused of snatching a pocketbook containing \$22 from R. C. Weathers. The theft occurred at Main street and Ohio avenue at 10:30 o'clock Thursday night.

The youth took \$2 from the wallet and then threw it away overlooking the \$20 bill.

When Officer Anson Finnell went to the boy's home he was found in bed—fully dressed.

Weathers, who lives at 2111 East Seventh was about to put the pocketbook in his pocket when a youth grabbed it and ran east on the Missouri Pacific railroad tracks.

Weathers pursued him and saw him throw the pocketbook away. He stopped and picked up the pocketbook which still had the \$20 bill and then reported the incident to the police saying he thought it was the Shull boy who stole his pocketbook.

Officer Anson Finnell went to the home of Shull on Hill street to find him in bed with his clothes on. Shull was taken to the police station and questioned where he admitted stealing the pocketbook. He told the officers that \$1.75 of the money was at home and that he had spent twenty five cents of it to take a taxi home.

He is being held in the county jail.

LOOK FOR JAPAN CABINET SHAKEUP

TOKYO, Dec. 30.—(P)—A shakeup in Japan's cabinet was reported imminent today as a result of a new controversy over the stringent national mobilization act.

FRANCO'S TROOPS PIERCE STRONG CAMARASA LINE

Hand To Hand Encounters In The Battle Torn Sector

GOVERNMENT SENDS MORE TROOPS THERE

Successive Counter Attacks At Balaguer Bridge- head Forts

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS OF THE SPANISH GOVERN- MENT ARMY, Dec. 30.—(P)—

The government army's first major counter-attack against the insurgents' eight-day-old offensive was launched today, a powerful thrust south of Lerida, in the center of the Catalonian battle front, aimed at Sarroca, three miles behind the enemy lines.

The counter-assault was led by some of the government's toughest troops and was directed against a sector which is believed to be largely held by Generalissimo Francisco Franco's Italian troops.

Government officers said that if the drive reached Sorroca, 12 miles south of Lerida, the insurgents would be compelled to abandon a large area.

The drive was watched anxiously for indications of relative strengths, especially of the temper of the government army, now lacking its famous brigade of international shock troops.

HENDAYE, France (at the Spanish frontier), Dec. 30.—(P)—Spanish insurgent forces smashed through government lines today in the Camarasa zone, north of the battle-torn Balaguer sector on the Lerida front in Catalonia.

Reports reaching the border said the insurgents had occupied Camarasa and continued their push toward the village of Cubells in an effort to cut off the highway and water communications of government troops.

Military observers said they believed the northern column was attempting to establish contact with the central column, which last night blasted its way through the Balaguer bridgehead.

Generalissimo Francisco Franco's troops pierced the strong Camarasa line after 24 hours of hand-to-hand fighting on a 500-yard stretch of frozen "no-man's land."

Far to the south, however, government resistance braced after the fall of Granadella and border dispatches said insurgents had been slowed down along the northern borders of Tarragona province.

Most closely watched by military observers, however, was the insurgent column advancing on Artesa in an attempt to join the forces at Camarasa. They said fall of Artesa, a key industrial village, might open to Franco a network of highways far behind the government's main defense of eastern Spain.

GUNS TO FRONT.

The government rushed all available men and guns on the northern Catalan battlefield today to the defense of the strategic Artesa triangle, slowly vanishing under Insurgent Generalissimo Franco's steam-roller offensive.

The vital road center, called a "key to Catalonia," lay under the pounding of insurgent guns from the north and west.

Pushing slowly across the bloody Balaguer bridgehead sector, the insurgent command sent another column pointing toward Artesa from the southwest.

Both high commands appeared convinced possession of the tiny industrial town meant a long stride toward victory or defeat for the insurgents' great drive.

After a day of some of the bitterest fighting in the war, in which General Franco finally captured the southern key town of Granadella, both forces concentrated their efforts on Artesa.

Throughout the winter night, the government launched successive counter-attacks at Balaguer bridgehead forts wrested from them in the last two days of fighting.

Early this morning, however, insurgent advices said the bridgehead still was in their hands.

The Artesa triangle, with the town at the apex, includes an area between the main Balaguer-Artesa road and the Serge River, bending around the Carbonera Mountains.

CONFEDERATE VETERAN, 97, DIES FROM INJURIES

NELSON, Mo., Dec. 29.—(P)—Micajah Dark Davis, 97, a veteran of four years' service in the Confederate army, died here today of injuries suffered in a fall several days ago. He had lived in this vicinity 60 years.

His widow, whom he married eight years ago, and five children survive.

LA GUARDIA SAYS WORK RELIEF STAY

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—(P)—Mayor La Guardia of New York said today it would be impossible for the new congress to abandon the relief program now carried on by the WPA.

Work relief is here to stay, he declared, because it is "the American way of providing relief."

La Guardia had a long talk with Senator Norris (Ind-Neb) but said afterwards he was only paying his respects, and not talking any third party politics.

POST OFFICE TO BE CLOSED ON MONDAY, JANUARY 2

Monday, January 2, being a legal holiday, all windows will be closed for the entire day. There will be no deliveries made by city or rural carriers, all mail will be dispatched, special delivery mail will be delivered and in addition to the regular evening collection beginning at 6:30 there will be a collection made in the downtown business district at 12 o'clock noon.

Edw. P. Mullaley, P. M.

By J. V. H.

DESTROYER IN A FREEDOM DASH WAS GROUNDED

Insurgent Shells Of Lurking Ships Kill Seven And Wound Others

GIBRALTAR, Dec. 30.—(P)—A daring dash for freedom through blazing guns of Spanish insurgent warships and shore batteries ended in failure for a lone government destroyer today, amid the crashing of shells in started Gibraltar itself.

The Jose Luis Diez, a virtual prisoner here since August, attempted to sneak through a gauntlet of lurking insurgent ships in the pitch darkness of early morning. But destructive fire of her alert enemy forced her aground about 100 yards from the shores of Catalan bay with seven of her crew killed and 11 wounded.

Before grounding, the destroyer struck heavy blow on her own account by ramming and sinking the 1500-ton insurgent sloop Jupiter.

Shortly after the darkened 1,650-ton Jose Luis slipped from the protection of the Gibraltar harbor the short-lived, one-sided naval battle began.

Guns began to blaze from the 10,000-ton cruiser Canarias and other insurgent warships, long lying in wait. Insurgent batteries at Ceuta, Spanish Morocco, 15 miles across the straits, also went into action.

The British officers were braced after the fall of Granadella and border dispatches said insurgents had been slowed down along the northern borders of Tarragona province.

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After the ramming, gunfire from the vessels and the Ceuta forts compelled the Jose Luis to run aground on the eastern beach of Gibraltar. She immediately landed her dead and wounded.

A score of the crew of the Jose Luis were killed and many wounded in the battle with the Canarias and other insurgent ships in the straits last August, which forced her to limp into Gibraltar for refuge and repairs.

Today's battle followed bombing of a British ship in the Mediterranean yesterday.

The British destroyer Vanoc and the French destroyer Basque turned search lights on the battle scene while rowboats brought the casualties ashore.

Arguments advanced by the council in favor of the amendment were that it would eliminate delay in transfer of cases where appellate jurisdiction is obscure, provide initial hearings at places convenient to litigants, remove as far as possible conflicts of decision, simplify procedure and "broaden the power of review of an intermediate appellate decision by the highest judicial authority of the state on questions of importance."

British Ship Damaged In Raid

MADRID, Dec. 30.—(P)—The British ship Mirupano was badly damaged today in an insurgent air raid on the port of Valencia.

FUNERAL TUESDAY FOR BISHOP LILLIS

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 30.—(P)—Archbishop John Gregory Murray of St. Paul, a long-time friend will preach the funeral sermon for Bishop Thomas F. Lillis, 77, here next Tuesday morning. Bishop Lillis died yesterday.

Archbishop J. J. Gleeson of St. Louis, also a long-time friend, will celebrate the mass.

The Rt. Rev. James J. McCaffrey, vicar general of the diocese, was named to carry on the work until a new bishop is selected.

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Snyder, both of Sedalia,

MISS BROWN INJURED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Miss Jane Brown, 17, received bruises on the chest when she apparently lost control of the car she was driving and crashed into a tree in the 1200 block on West Broadway Thursday night about 8:30 o'clock. Miss Brown, who was driving a 1937 Oldsmobile sedan, lives at 604 West Fifth.

She was taken to the Bothwell hospital in McLaughlin's ambulance where an examination by Doctor John B. Carlisle revealed bruises on the chest. She remained at the hospital Thursday night.

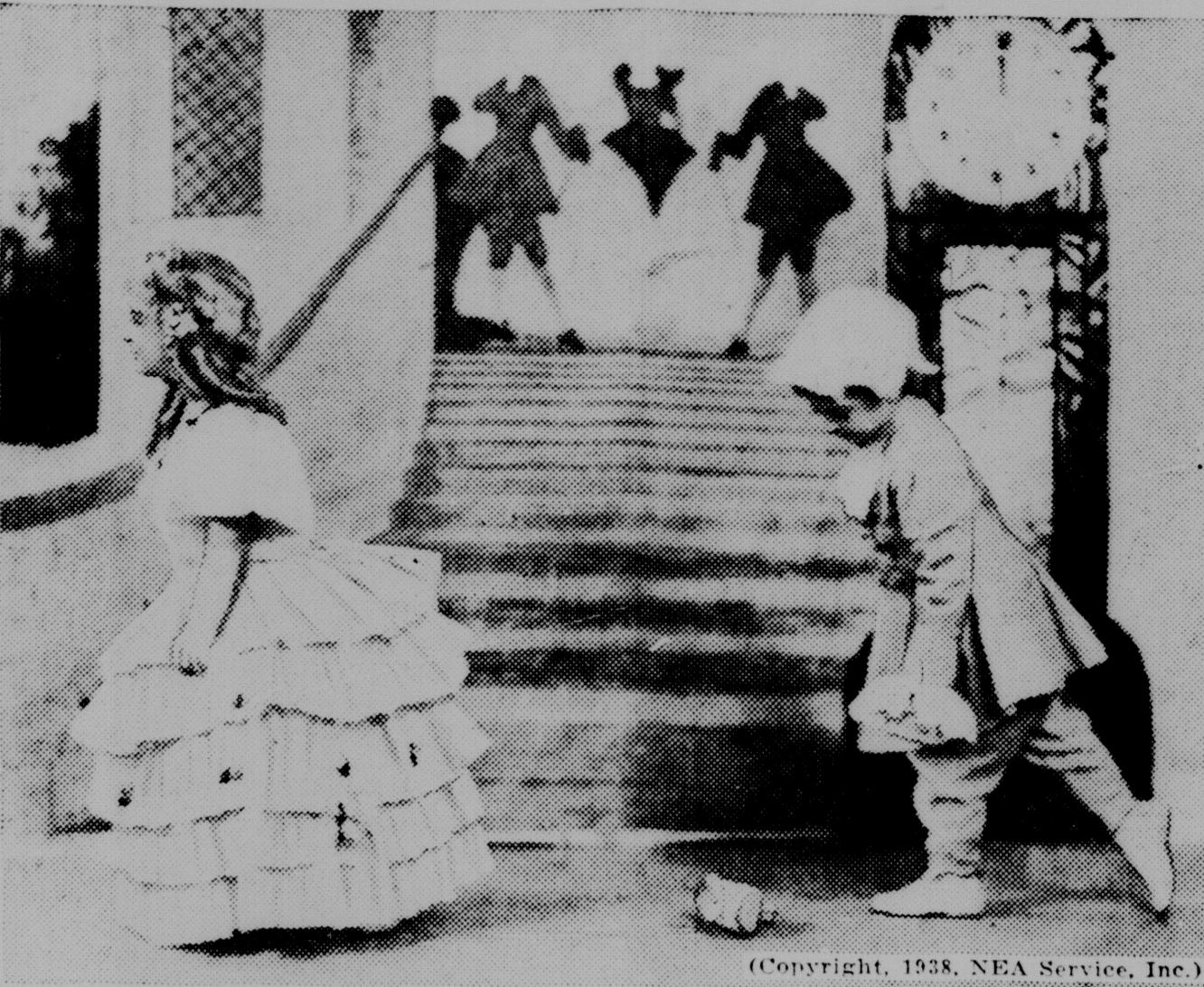
After The Ball Is Over On Stroke of 12, Back at Home, Cinder Girl Again

Story thus far: Cinderella's selfish stepsisters hie off to the big dance and leave her home alone. But a Fairy Godmother appears: her magic gives Cinderella a gorgeous gown, and coach-and-four to drive her to the ball



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With gorgeous gown, coach, horses and coachman, Cinderella was all set to go to the Prince's ball. But her Fairy Godmother warned her that she must leave on the stroke of midnight, or she would be returned to rags, her coach will be a pumpkin, her horses little mice and her coachman a rat. Cinderella promised. Then away she went. And at the ball, guess who first invites her to dance—little Emilie Dionne, the Prince. They float onto the floor in a minute and Cinderella's stepsisters look on with envy



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It is seventh Heaven to Cinderella. She enjoys at least a dozen dances in a row with the Prince. He is thrilled by her charm and beauty. And she is enchanted. It is all like a dream . . . so much so that Cinderella forgets all about the time. Suddenly a clock begins to chime the hour of midnight. Cinderella is terrified! She rushes down a winding stairway, losing one of her glass slippers in her flight. The Prince is mystified and, as she disappears, picks up the dainty little slipper.

NEXT: How will the Prince ever find Cinderella again?



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Cinderella runs all the way home, as fast as she possibly can, and the moment she steps into her house she once again becomes the little cinder girl, dressed in rags. Before her are the mice, the rat and the big pumpkin. She almost cries, to think that such a wonderful time had to come to so sudden and tragic an end. Of course, she has no way of knowing that the Prince, when he picked up her slipper, vowed he would marry the person who owned it. But how will the Prince ever find Cinderella?

CLARKSBURG

(By Mrs. Maude Albin)

A Christmas wedding of interest was that of George Franklin Bailey, of this place, and Claudine Henry, of near Latham, December 24, at Prairie Home, with Rev. Elmo Purvis performing the ceremony.

A wedding dinner was given the couple at the bride's home Sunday. Monday a reception was given them at the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bailey. Both the bride and groom are teachers of rural schools.

Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Alexander and children, Alfred and Ruth left Friday for Borger, Tex., where they will visit their son, Edward, and daughter, Mrs. Florence Ruffner.

Mary Milburn who has been employed in Kansas City the past few months is spending the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Golden Milburn.

Charlie Baker and family moved Tuesday from the Bailey farm on highway 50 to the Hickman property at this place.

Mrs. Rachel Cobb is quite sick at her home. Her children, Mrs. Allie Lawson and Sib Cobb, of near Fortuna are with her.

Mrs. Sallie McCaslin, of California, visited Saturday night and Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Mollee Baker.

Opal Clark, of Kansas City, spent a few days Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Cobb.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Streby of Kansas City, are visiting relatives in and near Clarksburg.

A memorial service for the late Prof. N. C. Curry was held at the high school auditorium last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Vansandt of Kansas City spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Biley.

Laurnell Stephens and Clara Belle Needles, students of Missouri University are at their respective homes for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Leonard of California spent Christmas day with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Renshaw.

A turkey dinner was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Milburn. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Golden Milburn and daughter, Mary, Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Williams and family, Mr. and Mrs. Orin Williams and family, Mr. and Mrs. Smith Donley and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Renshaw, Miss Velma Hodge and Mr. and Mrs. Willard Milburn and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Wingate and niece, Irene, spent Christmas day with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hutchinson and children of Falls City, Neb., are spending the holidays with the ladies parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Stephens.

Mr. and Mrs. Armin Hays and son, Merlin, of Tipton, enjoyed Christmas day with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Stephens.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Broyles had

as their Christmas guests their son, Earl Broyles and family of near Fortuna and their daughter, Mrs. Selma Albin and family of Tipton.

Mr. and Mrs. John Steele and little son, Harvey, of Seneca, Mo. are spending the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Stephens, also with his parents at Pilot Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kerr and son, Jack Dean of Peoria, Ill., are guests of Mrs. Kerr's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Renshaw.

J. B. Powell had as his holiday guests, his children, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Wingate, St. Louis, Mr. and Mrs. Walker Dorzab of Joplin, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Alberton of California, Mo., and Velma Powell who is teaching school at Marthasville, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Needles and daughter, Clarabelle enjoyed Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Renshaw.

Mrs. N. C. Curry went to New Haven, Mo., to make a visit with her daughter.

HUGHESVILLE

(By Mrs. C. L. Rages)

The Drama, Literature and Music club gave a beautiful interpretation of the Christmas story in readings, music and song Sunday

Mrs. Sallie McCaslin, of California, visited Saturday night and Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Mollee Baker.

In a setting of lighted candles with the stage fixed to represent the sky and the star shining over the manger the program opened with Mildred Rages playing the Christmas carols. A duet, "O Little Town of Bethlehem," was sung by Lorraine Kinchloe and Leola Reese.

As Dorothy Schneck quoted Luke 2:1-20, Marian Nell Rages as Mary and Evelyn Miller and Dora Dale Siron as angels took their places on the stage. Leola Reese sang, "No Cradle Was There And No Fire." As her song ended boys voices were heard at the back of the church singing, "We Three Kings of the Orient Are" and Junior Kinchloe, Harry Smith and Clayton Callis dressed as wise men marched to the stage and laid their treasures by the manger cradle.

"Adeste Fideles" was then heard and the angelic choir in their white robes marched singing down the aisle and knelt at the altar. Their candles were lighted by the angels and placed in the windows.

This concluded the first part of the program and the following numbers were:

Piano solo: Silent Night by Mildred Rages; Reading: "The Christmas Substitute," Elizabeth Wiley; vocal solo, "There's A Song In The Air," Lorraine Kinchloe; reading, "A News Boy's Christmas," Clayton Callis;

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Society and Clubs

The Beulah Yancey Music club held a holiday dance Thursday night at the Elks club for the members and their escorts. Dancing commenced at 9 o'clock.

Members of last year who were special guests at the event were Opal May Bryan, Elaine Capen, Beulah Winrod and Helen Banton. Miss Emma McMurdo is president of the organization for the current season.

Chaperones at the dance were Mrs. E. F. Yancey, the life president of the Helen G. Steele Music club, in whose honor the Junior Music club was named, and Miss Marian Smith, a former sponsor. Mrs. C. D. Demand, the present sponsor was unable to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Choulett, 1305 West Sixteenth street, entertained Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Cain and sons, Bobbie and Cline, at a 6 o'clock turkey dinner Wednesday evening at their home.

The occasion was in celebration of the twenty-seventh wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Cain, and the ninth anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Choulett.

Mrs. John H. Simmons, of Tulsa, Okla., formerly Miss Kathryn Fay, of Sedalia, was honored guest at a party given Wednesday night by Miss Vivian Valkenburg at her home, 917 South Osage avenue.

Mrs. Simmons is spending the Christmas holidays with her mother, Mrs. Leo Bloess and Mr. Bloess, 616 West Fifth street.

Liverpool rummy was played during the evening, with the award for high score going to Mrs. John Rudd Van Dyne. Mrs. Simmons was presented with a guest favor.

Miss Valkenburg's mother, Mrs. Bert Valkenburg and Mrs. J. G. Love assisted the hostess.

Guests were Misses Martha Redmond, Maxine Pettyjohn, Mary Ross Hoffman, Catherine English, Sadie Foster, Margaret Love, Mrs. T. E. Dreckman, Mrs. Van Dyne and Mrs. Simmons.

Richey-Lumpe

Miss Edna Lumpe, of Kansas City, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Lumpe, of Cole Camp, and LeRoy Richey, of Independence, were married December 24 at 6 o'clock at the Lutheran church of Our Redeemer at Kansas City, by the Reverend Diers.

Their attendants were Miss Thelma Pugh and Richard Richey. Immediately following the ceremony a dinner was served at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Claude Botman. Guests

Double Feature Walks off With Winter Style Honors



JOAN CRAWFORD HEADS BIG CAST IN LIBERTY FILM



With a star-studded cast including Joan Crawford, Margaret Sullivan, Robert Young, Melvyn Douglas and Fay Bainter, "The Shining Hour" opens at the Liberty Theatre Sunday for an engagement of two days.

Miss Crawford plays a role which parallels her own career as a Broadway dancer and is reminiscent of her first starring pictures in dancing roles.

The story, directed by Frank Borzage, centers around a world-famous dancer, who, tiring of the glare of the spotlight, marries a wealthy farmer. Complications ensue when her husband's sister resents the presence of the dancer in the family home. To make matters worse, her brother-in-law falls in love with her.

"The Shining Hour" marks the first time that Joan Crawford and

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CHRISTMAS PROGRAM AT THE LOVELACE SCHOOL

The Lovelace School Parent-Teacher Association held a Christmas program at the school last Friday night. Following the program Santa Claus appeared and presents were distributed. Appeals and candy were served.

The January meeting will be Thursday, January 12.

MRS. ELLA SUTHERLIN PASSES AWAY AT HOME

Mrs. Ella Sutherlin, 73 years old, negro, passed away at her home 305 East Jefferson street, about 1:55 o'clock this morning following a brief illness.

Surviving are five sons and two daughters.

The body was taken to the Ferguson Funeral Home. No arrangements have been made.

Ordered Bond Forfeited.

J. W. Jones, arrested by the police and charged with petit larceny in connection with shoplifting at Montgomery-Ward's, failed to appear in police court this morning and his \$10 cash bond was ordered forfeited.

Licensed to Wed

A marriage license was issued in Warrensburg Wednesday to Woodrow Rutherford, Sweet Springs and Lorene Eckhoff, of Houstonia.

TODAY'S PATTERN

Monastic Dress Is Perfect For the Young School Girl

THE simple, two-seam dress that has taken the grown-up fashion world by storm is equally smart and becoming to school girls, too, as you can see from this design. Pattern 8405.

The utter simplicity and soft fullness are very becoming to immature figures. And girls, who always like lots of clothes variety, will be delighted to have a dress they can fix many ways to look different.

They can wear the fullness all around, like a dirndl, or arranged at the sides, as in the sketch. Crisp, pointed collar and cuffs, and a three button closing under the chin complete its charm.

Just sew the front and the back together, set in the sleeves, and there you are. Use thin wool, velvet, challis, silk crepe and prints.

Pattern 8405 is designed for sizes 8, 10, 12, 14 and 16 years. Size 10 requires 2 1/4 yards of 39-inch material; 3 8/9 yard of contracting collar and cuffs.

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Judge Hardy Pictures, This Story Includes Other Characters. Virginia Weidler, Eleven-Year-Old Child Star, Heads the List of 'Guest' Performers in the Latest Hardy Film. Gordon Jones becomes Cecilia Parker's new cinematic heart interest and Ralph Morgan, brother of Frank, has a leading role.

Judge Hardy pictures, this story includes other characters. Virginia Weidler, eleven-year-old child star, heads the list of "guest" performers in the latest Hardy film. Gordon Jones becomes Cecilia Parker's new cinematic heart interest and Ralph Morgan, brother of Frank, has a leading role.

For the fifth time, the Judge Hardy Family flashes on the screen with their typical American humor and adventure when "Out West With the Hardys" comes to the Liberty Theatre next Tuesday.

With George Seitz directing as he did with previous Hardy pictures, this story takes the entire family into the West as guests on a huge ranch. Here Cecilia Parker falls in love with the ranch foreman, Mickey has no heart interest out West but does meet his nemesis when Virginia Weidler, a girl and lots smaller than himself, shows him up in Western stunts. And Judge Hardy solves a mystery concerning water rights which saves his host from losing his valuable ranch.

The "Judge Hardy" pictures today probably form the most popular series in screen history. The first picture was "A Family Affair." It made such a hit that Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer followed it with "You're Only Young Once" in which the family went to Catalina for a vacation. The third was "Judge Hardy's Children."

During which the family went to Washington. "Love Finds Andy Hardy," the most recent, was a stay-at-home story for the family with Mickey Rooney as Andy finding himself involved in plenty of romantic episodes.

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Wild Turkeys for Missouri



Missourians this December will, for the first time in the history of the state, observe a closed season on the wild turkeys of the Ozark forests while the Missouri Conservation Commission gets its new turkey restoration program underway on state and federal forest lands. More than 500 young wild turkeys, like these shown here, have been released this fall on refuges deep in the patrolled forest areas to start the program.

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HUSKY MULES OF WARRENSBURG TO FINALS TONIGHT

Outpass And Outshoot Oklahoma Aggies To Win
By 31 To 23

OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 30.—(P)—The Warrensburg (Mo.) Teachers and the University of Texas Longhorns collide in the finals of the third annual Oklahoma City all-college basketball tournament tonight while the Oklahoma Aggies, winners of both previous tournaments, look on from the gallery.

Warrensburg's husky Mules, winners of the national intercollegiate tournament at Kansas City last winter, outpassed and outshot the Aggies to win their semi-final battle, 31 to 23, last night and the Longhorns sped past their state and southwest conference rivals, the Baylor Bears from Waco, 46 to 38.

The finalists survived a field of 32 teams—12 from Oklahoma, nine from Texas, five from Missouri, four from Kansas and two from Arizona—which started off together five days ago. The title game will be at 8:15 p. m.

Accuracy at the free throw line spelled victory for the Mules, who only matched the Aggies' 10 goals from the field. The Teachers hit 11 of their 14 chances from the foul line while the Aggies made only three out of 12.

Screamed Selves Hoarse

While 2,500 fans screamed themselves hoarse, two lanky brothers—Jimmy Gibbs of Warrensburg and Johnny Gibbs of the Aggies—battled on opposite sides of the fence and led their respective clubs in the exciting contest.

Texas built up a 25 to 19 half-time advantage against Baylor, only to see the Bears surge ahead in the last half.

Before the Longhorns and Mules take the floor tonight for the championship affair, the Oklahoma Aggies will battle Baylor for third place in a game scheduled for 7 p. m.

• Back of Basketball

Freezing Ball in Closing Seconds
May Be Boomerang to Team in
Lead

Eleventh of 20 instructive articles on basketball by famous coaches.

By FORREST COX
University of Colorado Coach
BOULDER, Colo., Dec. 30.—Basketball being a game of quickly changing situations, I don't believe there is a set rule as to when a team should freeze the ball.

I'd say there are as many games lost by these tactics as there are won, when the score is close and the game goes into its final minutes or seconds.

When the offense starts freezing the ball, it's no deep secret to the defense as to what's happening.

The defense, if properly coached, will intercept, get a held ball, or force a bad pass.

Colorado trailed an eastern team by one point in the last two minutes a year ago. The opposition started freezing the ball. We closed out on defense, gained possession, and dropped a field goal to win in the last five seconds.

We follow a general rule in regard to freezing tactics. Our offense is such that we do not rely on any set formation to control the ball.

We attempt to handle it more near the close of the game and work for better shots.

We don't take undue chances in the waning minutes of the last half—especially so if we have an eight or 10-point lead. Any actual attempts at keeping, or freezing the ball, are accompanied by short passes, which are protected at all times against possible interception—and not too much dribbling.

We don't consider it advisable to use a separate formation for freezing. I believe any system which fits in with the general scheme of offense and makes good ball control possible, without sacrificing scoring chances, is the best.

NEXT: Breaking Up Stalling Tactics, by Hec Edmundson of Washington.

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GOLDEN GLOVERS TO RENEW WORKOUTS

Sedalia's Golden Glove boxers are to report to Coach Lawrence N. Englund at Fire Station No. 2, at 7 o'clock tonight and begin

workouts.

Boys who are interested in entering the Golden Gloves are requested to report at the same time and the new recruits will be placed into a separate class and

started in training, while the older and more experienced boys will be coached in a different class.

Beginning Tuesday arrangements will have been completed

to start the colored boxers in workouts at Lincoln High school, and the boxers are requested to report to Coach Englund at that time.

Since the trial bout with the

Kansas City-Missouri Training school teams last Wednesday night several boys have signed entrants, which assures more competition in the various fight classes.

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LOOK TO BETTER BUSINESS WITH MORE WORKERS

Motor Industry Expected To Provide Quarter Of Million More Jobs

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—(P)—Heads of nine leading American industries looked toward the New Year with mild optimism last night, tempering predictions of definite, though possible slight, improvement in business with expressions of hope for better relations with government.

One concrete forecast stood out—A prediction by the spokesman for automobile manufacturers that motor car and allied industries would find jobs for nearly a quarter of a million more men.

In a radio symposium Alvan MacCauley, president of the Automobile Manufacturer's Association, spoke from Detroit: Tom Girdler, president of the Iron and Steel Institute, from Atlantic City, N. J.; J. J. Pelley, president of the Association of American Railroads, from Washington; Joseph Schenck, president of the Motion Picture Producers, from Hollywood; Paul S. Willis, president of the Associated Grocery Manufacturers, Saul Cohn, president of the National Dry Goods Association, Edwin S. Friendly, advertising bureau chairman of the American Newspaper Publishers Association, Dr. John F. Anderson, president of the American Drug Manufacturers Association, and Philip A. Benson, president of the American Bankers Association, from New York.

Girdler, storm center of the little steel strike in 1937 and arch foe of the CIO, was one of the most cautious of the speakers.

"On the whole I think we may reasonably expect a better year for steel operation in 1939," he said in his prepared address, but added the industry still was faced with "the big problem of how to earn even a small profit."

"In 1938 there was a loss and over the last nine years the average annual return on investment in the industry was only 1.5 per cent," he said. "Plans for increased armament now under discussion are not likely to bring any rush or large orders to the steel industry."

Declaring steel "suffered from the uncertainty on the part of investors with respect to the nation's attitude toward industry and the profit system," Girdler said the recent elections have had "a heartening effect" for private enterprise.

MacCauley, predicting a 20 per cent increase in motor car production, said this "means 90,000 more men back to work, augmenting the 310,000 wage earners employed in automobile factories in 1938," and "could likewise mean 150,000 more jobs in the allied industries of steel, glass, rubber, cotton, wool and many others—for nothing benefits so many other industries to such a degree as the motor car."

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hardin have returned from St. Louis where they went to consult a specialist relative to Mr. Hardin's health and to spend Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Steele and daughter, Doris Ann of Route 3 had as their guests Tuesday, Mr. and Mrs. John Steele and small son, Harvey, of Seneca, Mo., and Mr. and Mrs. Marteen Steele of St. Louis.

Mrs. Elizabeth Lennartz, her daughter, Mrs. S. J. Timborous and Mr. Timborous, returned today from Muskogee, Okla., where they spent Christmas with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Charles Dickman and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Elder, Kansas City, were holiday guests of Mrs. Elder's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Cox, 915½ West Third street. Mr. Elder has returned to Kansas City, while Mrs. Elder will remain for a more extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley McDowell of Kansas City, have returned home after spending the Christmas holidays with Mrs. McDowell's children, W. F. Hartman, of 401 North Park and Mrs. E. E. Woolery and family of 517 East Fourth.

Mrs. Ella Wolfe, of Parsons, Kas., who has been visiting her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. G. Whipple, of Seventeenth street and Marshall avenue, left Thursday for New York, where she has accepted a position. Mrs. Wolfe is a former Sedalia resident.

Petitions a Divorce

Alleging general indignities Marcellus W. Harmon today brought suit in the circuit court, asking for a divorce from Mary Louise Harmon, to whom he was married February 27, 1935.

Former Hannibal Mayor Dies

HANNIBAL, Mo., Dec. 30.—(P)—Dr. John N. Baskett, 85, who was mayor of Hannibal from 1903 to 1905, died last night. He retired in 1921 after 42 years as a practicing physician. Two daughters survive. Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon.

OBITUARIES

Funeral of Louis Rast

Funeral services for Louis Rast, 79 years old, well known retired Missouri Pacific fireman, who passed away suddenly at his home 307 East Fourth street Thursday afternoon, will be conducted at the St. Patrick's Catholic church at 9 o'clock Saturday morning. The Reverend Father W. J. McGarne, pastor, will officiate.

Pall bearers will be the following friends: Dr. C. B. Trader, C. S. Long, Andy Knipp, John S. McGaw, John O'Brien and Mark Tillberry.

Interment will be in the Calvary cemetery.

Members of the Holy Name Society will meet at the family home at 8 o'clock tonight to recite the rosary.

Mr. Rast was born in Switzerland December 3, 1859, the son of the late Peter and Catherine Rast. When a small boy he came to the United States and resided at Georgetown for a time, later he came with his family to Sedalia to make his home and when a young man went into the employment of the Missouri Pacific railroad.

He retired several years ago from the railroad after having forty-eight years of service as a fireman on the road. Mr. Rast was a member of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen.

Mrs. Rast, nee Mary O'Donnell, passed away on December 31, 1931.

For nearly seven years Mr. Rast has been residing with Mr. and Mrs. Emmett O'Brien at his home on East Fourth street.

His brother, Will Rast, and Mrs. Rast arrived in Sedalia this morning to attend the funeral services. His sister, Miss Josephine Rast, Rome City, Indiana, is unable to come because of illness.

Robert Paul Wilson

Robert Paul Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wilson, of Otterville, passed away at Mercy hospital in Kansas City Wednesday night, December 28, death following a two months' illness.

He was born February 13, 1924 at Amity, Mo., and went to Cooper county with his parents in 1933 since which time he had made his home there. In 1936 he united with the Methodist Episcopal church at Otterville.

Besides his parents he is survived by two brothers, "Billy" and "Jimmie."

Funeral services will be held at the Methodist church at 10 o'clock Saturday morning. The Rev. Sampson of Pilot Grove, a former Otterville pastor, to officiate, assisted by Rev. G. B. Snapp, of Otterville.

Pall bearers will be Ralph Mangan and Arden Mowrer, of Sedalia, Robert Murray, Raymond Kuykendall, Claude Goode and T. Edwin Wherley, of Otterville. Honorary pall bearers and flower girls will be from the freshman class of the Otterville high school. Burial will be at Altamont, Mo.

FIRE WRECKS A SHORT WAVE STATION

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 30.—(P)—The United States Army Engineers' short wave radio station was wrecked today in a fire in the corps' boat yard on the Mississippi riverfront.

The flames, which burned most of a long frame building, also destroyed a large quantity of flour, beans and other food supplies.

Fire Chief Lawrence Corneyer estimated the damage at \$3,000, but a civilian employee of the corps said the loss might be as high as \$20,000.

The radio station was used in communication with engineer boats and operations in the St. Louis district from Cario, Ill., to Memphis. A transmitter on the towboat Penniman will be used until the station is rebuilt.

MORE STRENGTH TO G.O.P. MEMBERS ON COMMITTEES

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—(P)—Senator Barkley (D-Ky.) the majority leader, agreed today to grant Republicans increased strength on major senate committees.

Dies of Collision Injuries

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 30.—(P)—Leonard Wissman, 41, died early today of injuries suffered last night when a cross-country bus struck his automobile and tossed it 45 feet through the air.

Barbara Jean Swan

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Swan, 616 East Tenth street, who was three years old December 1.

EIGHT INDICTED IN AN INQUIRY INTO A LOTTERY

The Government Aims Body Blow At Sales of Sweepstakes Chances

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—(P)—The government aimed a body blow at the tremendous sale of Irish hospital sweepstakes chances in the United States Thursday by obtaining indictments against eight persons described as heads of one country's biggest ticket selling ring.

The indictments handed up by a federal grand jury climaxed a 2-year investigation by postal inspectors in 12 states scattered from coast to coast and carried charges new to the government's attack on foreign lotteries.

An innovation, Assistant U. S. Attorney John L. Delaney said was the charge of using the express to transport tickets in interstate commerce. Another group was indicted about two years ago, he pointed out, but the charge then was using the mails.

The indictments, containing 12 counts in all, also alleged conspiracy to smuggle the tickets into the country, distribute them and return the money to the Irish promoters. No figures were mentioned but one official estimated the output of tickets by the defendants at \$25,000,000 for the year 1936. Tickets generally are sold for \$2.50 each and prizes range from \$150,000 downward.

Arrest in 1936 of six defendants, named as Gerald Kelly, John W. Kelly, John W. Kelly, 2nd, John R. Kelly, Connie Neenan and Clifford Burgett, all of New York, started the widespread inquiry. Free under bail since that time, they will be arraigned shortly to plead to the indictments. Bench warrants, Delaney said, would be issued for William Mead of New York and Joseph McCarry of Philadelphia.

Washington hears Senator James Pope, above, defeated for reelection from Idaho, will be appointed chairman of the Tennessee Valley Authority by President Roosevelt.

Pointing to Job as TVA Chief



SUSPECTS IN BANK ROBBERY BE QUIZZED

LEBANON, Mo., Dec. 30.—(P)—Two brothers, one an ex-convict, were picked up here today for questioning in the \$1,600 robbery of the Bank of Humansville last Tuesday.

No charges have been filed against the suspects, said Sergeant E. C. Brown of the state highway patrol, pending arrival of an FBI agent.

Identification of a picture of one of the brothers by employees of the Humansville bank led to the arrests.

The brothers were arrested in a Lebanon beer parlor early this morning by officers of Laclede and Dallas counties. Their home is in Dallas county.

Patrolmen still were hunting two women who were reported to have been seen with the brothers last night.

A blonde woman, holding a dog on her lap, drove one of the two cars in which the Humansville robbers fled after holding up Cashier T. N. Payne and taking all the money in his cage. A woman bookkeeper was the only other person in the bank at the time of the robbery.

BOMBS DAMAGE MISSION HOMES

SHANGHAI, Dec. 30.—(P)—Southern Baptist headquarters received a telegram today reporting Japanese planes had bombed Shiu-chow, 120 miles north of Canton, severely damaging two missionary homes. No casualties were reported.

Americans living in the damaged homes were Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Sunders of Adamsville, Tenn., L. A. Thompson of Springfield, Mo., and M. W. Rankin of Newberry, S. C.

CONVICTED MAN TRIES TO END LIFE

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 30.—(P)—United States District Attorney Harry C. Blanton said today Clarence de Montreville, president of the Public Service Institute, attempted to end his life last night on the eve of his sentencing on a mail fraud conviction.

Blanton said he was informed by defense attorneys that de Montreville was taken to a hospital in a critical condition after swallowing poison tablets at his home. He was reported to have been despondent over his conviction and impending sentence.

Sentencing of 28 other defendants associated with the institute in a correspondence school, was taken up by Federal Judge George H. Moore in de Montreville's absence and was completed in 50 minutes.

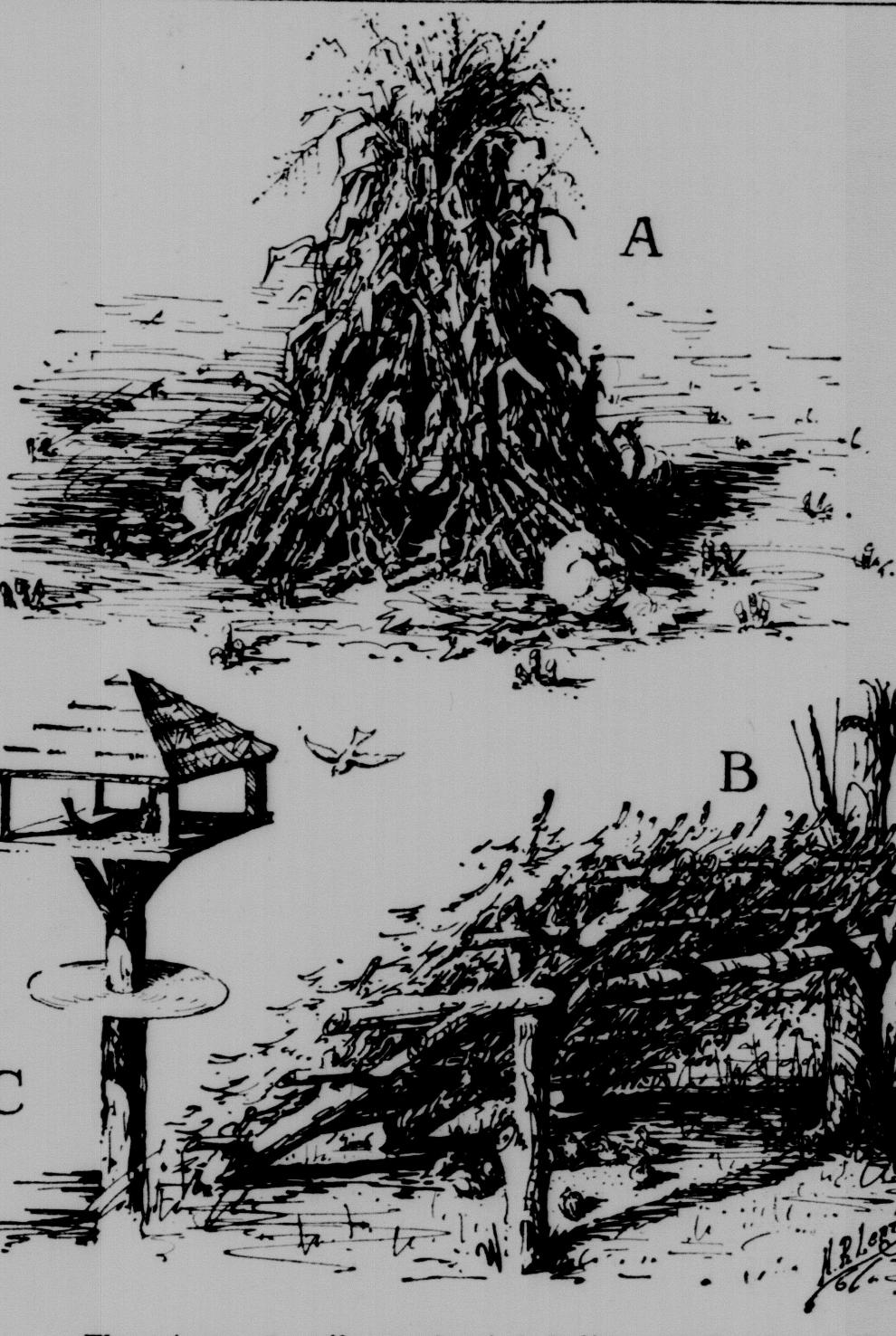
The penalties ranged from a 4-year prison term and \$5,000 fine for a principal assistant of de Montreville to 6-month jail terms and \$250 fines, with probation from jail on payment of the fines.

Those sentenced included Frances N. Grell and Angeline E. Grell, de Montreville's sister-in-laws, each of whom was fined \$100 and sentenced to concurrent terms of a year and a day on each of 10 counts.

Talk Over Farm Program

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—(P)—Vice President Garner talked over the administration's farm program today with Secretary Wallace and two of Wallace's chief lieutenants at the agriculture department.

Combination Shelter and Feeding Stations



Shuffling Off Through Buffalo



Those old-fashioned blizzards were at their worst around Buffalo, N. Y. Three of the city's harder citizens are having a tough time of it in the picture above.

BUSINESS SESSION BY THE MAPLEWOOD C. T. A.

The Maplewood P. T. A. held a short business session at the school house Friday evening.

Plans for a community party and grab bag for this evening were announced. It will be at the Grange hall.

Following the business session pupils of the school under the direction of the teacher, Miss Maurine Wetzel presented a program.

The next meeting will be January 27th at which time C. F. Scotten will be the principal speaker and the men under the leadership of Ed Heffernan will serve the refreshments.

SPOTTY TREND ON STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—(P)—Although many stock market leaders acted tired today, following their swift climb of Thursday, selected rails, amusements, utilities and specialties managed to continue the forward swing.

Profit taking in steels, motors and aircrafts, combined with further last-minute "cash" tax selling, tended to give the list a spotty appearance after a fairly firm opening. Dealings dwindled substantially on the development of irregular trends. Transfers approximated 1,400,000 shares.

Despite the uneven price performance, a number of favorites succeeded in penetrating new high territory for the year. Losses, in the majority of cases, were held to minor fractions.

Wall Street continued optimistic toward 1939 business prospects, but speculative forces, in view of the recent rebound and the approach of another lengthy holiday—after tomorrow the Stock Exchange will recess until Tuesday—apparently decided to take home some of their gains and await the coming of the new year.

Closing Of Leading Stocks

	Close	Close	Thurs.	Fri.
American & Por. Power	...34	...34	...34	...34
American Smet. & Ref.	...52	...51	...51	...51
American Tel. & Tel.	...14	149%	149%	149%
American Tobacco "B"	...58	88%	88%	88%
Anaconda Copper	...35	34%	34%	34%
Atchison T. & S. F.	...41	41%	41%	41%
Auburn Auto	...34	31	31	31
Bethlehem Steel	...78	77	77	77
Chicago & Northwestern	...5	5	5	5
Chrysler	...83	82	82	82
Curtis-Wright	...71	73	73	73
Du Pont De Nem.	...28	27	27	27
Eastman Kodak	...152	154%	154%	154%
General Motors	...50	50	50	50
Int. Harvester	...58	59	59	59
International Shoe	...31	31	31	31
Int. Tel. & Tel.	...94	94	94	94
Kennecott Copper	...43	43	43</td	

THE FAMILY DOCTOR

T. M. REG. U. S. PAT. OFF

Testosterone Propionate, or Male Sex Hormone, Important Gland Product.

This is the fourth of five articles describing medicine's major advances in 1938.

By DR. MORRIS FISHBEIN
Editor, Journal of the American Medical Association, and of Hygeia, the Health Magazine.

Among the greatest of discoveries that have been made in medical science in recent years are those related to the glands of internal secretion. Among the most significant of the recent glandular products is testosterone propionate, a product which is coming to be called the male sex hormone.

While this product was prepared in pure form several years ago only recently has it become possible to obtain a preparation from the urine of human beings, and still more recently such a product has been put together by the chemists in pure form. Whereas the product isolated from human materials was called androsterone, the product put together out of the chemical called cholesterol, taken from wool fat, is known as testosterone.

Since the product was developed it has begun to be tested in relationship to many different physical and even mental conditions affecting the human body. Its use has been studied in enlargements of the prostate gland, in the treatment of overactivity of the thyroid gland, in the case of women who seem to have excess activity of certain of the glandular substances developed in their bodies, and in the case of other women who have lost the effects of certain glandular substances from their bodies.

Men who have suffered changes in the body as a result of a complete deficiency of sex gland activity have apparently been treated with this substitute and have responded in such a manner as to indicate that the substitute takes the place to some extent of the normal tissues.

More recently some investigators have indicated that these glandular substances definitely stimulate sexual activity in the normal male and inhibit reproductive processes in the female. Again it has been suggested that these products may actually affect the thought processes of men in advanced years, stimulating mental activity.

While perhaps, only a few, if any, of these claims have as yet been fully verified by enough controlled studies to indicate that they represent actual accomplishments, enough has already been done to show that this is one of the great contributions to modern medical science.

NEXT: Encephalo-Poliomyelitis.

Annually, 250 miles of cloth, 500 miles of cotton fabrics, and 1,000,000 yards of tape and braid are used to make uniforms for British postmen.

STORIES IN STAMPS



Bridge Put Together On Temperature

EXTREMELY delicate problem was that engineers faced putting together the two gigantic spans of the \$30,000,000 Sydney harbor bridge in 1931.

Work was started from both sides of the New South Wales harbor at the same time. Gradually the 60-ton creeper cranes approached each other until finally they almost touched. The next task was to link the two arches. But doing it was something else again.

For the two portions had to meet without the slightest variation and be locked by two huge steel pins. But to lock these arches together the temperature had to be exactly suitable. There was little to do but wait for that. One time the sun would affect the top chord of the arch but not the bottom and so on.

Meantime each side of the arch was held by great cables and these had to be relaxed gradually in order to bring the arches together. Ten days alone were occupied in this work, maneuvering for the right moment. At one time when the two ends were in almost exact position a change of temperature caused a variation of five inches in a few hours.

The connecting pins were at length driven home one night at the end of several hours' intent waiting. The next morning Sydney harbor saw its great spar flying the Union Jack and the Australian ensign. The two giant creeper cranes were stopped exactly in the middle.

The Sydney harbor bridge is shown here on a stamp, one of three commemorating its opening March 19, 1932.

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Nepal Chandra Bhattacharji, of Calcutta, India, has consumed more than 300,000 cups of tea in the last 30 years. He drinks 30 cups of the beverage daily.

• CRANIUM CRACKERS

Some of the following statements are true. Some are false. Which are which?

1. Pantheism means ancestor worship.
2. A necromancer is a magician.
3. Clydesbank is a breed of horse.
4. Robert Burns was a contemporary of Shakespeare.
5. All humans are bipeds.

Answers on Classified Page

• RAISING A FAMILY

Foster Children Often Suspect The Motive In Acts of Parents.

"Don't worry, Mrs. Brown. I think I can talk to Mary without her suspecting you have come to me."

"Don't be hard on her, Doctor. I love the child as though she were my own. When we adopted her, John and I made up our minds she should never want for anything, never be unhappy or be in any way different from other children. But, of course, we had to do as all parents do and set her right at times."

"She seems to be particularly

headstrong right now, and to take the attitude that we are not natural parents, sending her to college next year instead of the finishing school she has set her heart on."

"I know," said the doctor. "It is not the first case of the kind I have heard of. Mary is a fine girl but I think I know what is in her mind."

One day he had the opportunity he sought. Mary came to see him about a twisted wrist. He bandaged it and when she was ready to go he spoke about her school and plans for next year.

"I'm going to Miss Smart's," she said. "Don't you think that will be nice?"

"Yes, very nice. Your mother would do the best thing for you, of course."

"Oh, mother doesn't approve. She's determined to send me to a

college, so I can be something or other. It isn't as though I were her own daughter, you know."

Mary said slowly.

"Why, Mary. What makes you say that? I made our Peter go to a school he didn't want to go to. And now he is crazy about it. Real parents have to take matters into their own hands very often."

"When he was little I often had to hold his nose and dose him. And once, I remember," mused the doctor, "I kept him home from camp because I had to be away and he had to stay with his mother who wasn't quite well and needed someone in the house."

"I thought," said Mary, "that real parents let children do almost anything they wanted."

Parents Do What's Best

"You did? Why, what an odd

motion. Of course they don't. They do what is best for the child. Sometimes, of course, children get their own way. Sometimes too much of it. But in important matters parents risk the love of a child when they assert authority at a necessary time."

"Do you think my own parents would make me go some place I didn't want? Allie's mother is letting her go to Miss Smart's."

"Allie, Yes, that may be. But then Allie is not one of my favorites. Not that I don't approve of young people having a say-so about their schools and other things as well, but now we seem to be talking about something else. I am very fond of your mother and father, Mary."

"I got it into my head that I was being mistreated," said Mary.

"I guess I've been pretty silly. I'll go home and talk to mother. I think I see a lot of things better. Thanks, doctor."

Peru has the smallest Jewish

population of any country in the world—about 300.

The engine of the first automobile sold by Alexander Winton in 1898 was cooled with ice.

MODERN ACTRESS

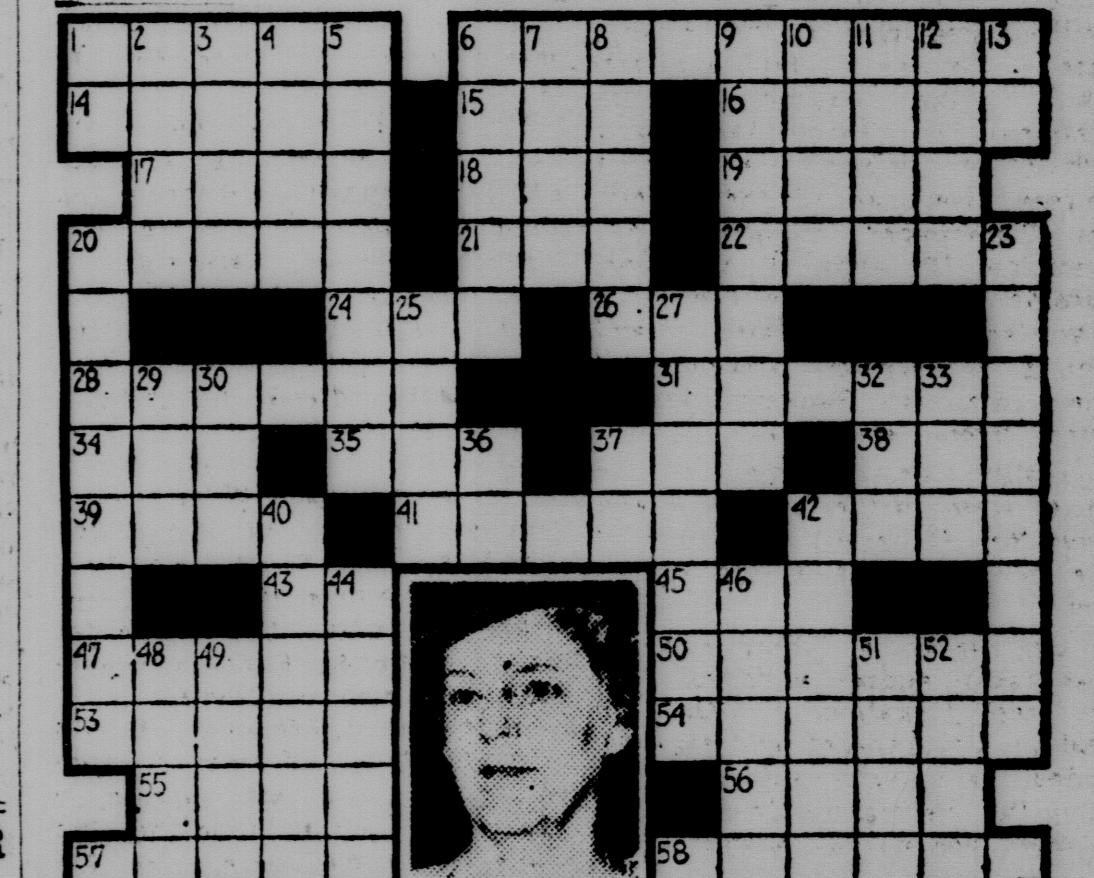
HORIZONTAL

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ELECT CHARLES
N TIE GOODYEAR
TIMITED MAUVE
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11 Bones.
12 Strap.
13 Half an em.
20 She comes from a — of actors (pl.).
23 Her name carries — on the stage.
25 Actual.
27 Shallow tube.
29 English coin.
30 To wheedle.
32 Fish.
33 Kind of lettuce.
36 Italian river.
37 The soul.
40 Golf stick.
42 To rue.
44 Prophets.
46 Indian weights.
48 Particle.
49 Donated.
51 To tip.
52 Grandparental.

45 Before.
47 Bird of prey.
48 Movable.
50 Rabble.
53 She won immediate success on the —.
35 To undermine.
37 To implore.
38 Dowry property.
39 Young of sheep.
41 Faithful.
42 Slumber.
43 Plural pronoun.

49 Doves.
50 Elbow.
52 Wild duck.
53 Hooks.
54 She won immediate success on the odd.
55 Fabaceous plants.
56 Above.
57 Tissue.
58 She has had — success on the screen.
59 Red snapper.



• FLAPPER FANNY

By Sylvia



"Naw, not me—the only reason people keep resolutions is because they haven't got any will power."

• THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



ANSWER: Penguins do not need protection from polar bears, for they are found at opposite ends of the earth . . . the former inhabitants of the south polar regions, and the latter, the north polar regions.

NEXT: Where are motor scooters official police equipment?

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

....with.... MAJOR HOOPPLE



OUT OUR WAY



By J. R. WILLIAMS

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



A Clew at Last



BY MERRILL BLOSSER

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



Better Luck Next Time



BY EDGAR MARTIN

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No Time to Lose



BY RAY THOMPSON AND CHARLES COLL

WASH TUBBS



Stand and Deliver



BY ROY CRANE

SUNDAY SERVICES IN THE CHURCHES

Religious Programs in The Sedalia Churches

METHODIST: Fifth and Osage, J. C. English, pastor. The church school at 9:30 each Sunday morning is open to children and adults who wish to study and worship with people of their own age and interest. The morning worship service 10:30 Sunday morning will be a communion service. The choir will sing the anthem "More Love To Thee, O Christ" by Oley Speaks. Morris Thomas is to be the guest soloist. The Intermediate and Senior Epworth leagues at 6:30 offer to the young people from the ages of twelve to twenty-four years of age a religious fellowship. Visitors are invited to have a part in these young people's meetings. The evening worship service at 7:30 Sunday evening is to be an informal worship service. The pastor's sermon topic is to be "My Resurrection." Visitors are invited to have a part in this service.

FEDERATED (Central Presbyterian and First Congregational): Sixth and Osage streets. E. L. Baker, Minister. New Year's worship 10:45 a. m. Sermon theme, "Tempus Fugit." Special music, anthem, "One More Year" Von Berge. Vocal solo, "Eye Hath Not Seen" Gaul, by Miss Frances Brunkhorst. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. A. M. Hoffman, superintendent. A cordial invitation and friendly welcome to all these services. Go to church somewhere.

EAST SEDALIA BAPTIST: Fifth and Summit. Rev. Walter P. Arnold, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. E. E. Lingle, general superintendent. A class and teacher for one and all. Morning services at 10:30 a. m. Pastor's theme: "We Exit to Enter." A special New Year's message. Special music in charge of the adult choir. Baptist Training Union at 6:30 p. m. Miss Mayme Shavely, general director. Evening services at 7:30 p. m. This will be a special service in which the students of our colleges and high schools will take an active part. Music will be in charge of the young people's choir. Wednesday night services will be at 7:30 p. m. Everyone welcome.

EAST BROADWAY CHRISTIAN: H. J. Rains, minister. Worship at 10:45. The sermon subject is "A Priceless Gift." The choir will render special music. Sunday school at 9:30. There are classes for all ages. Christian Endeavor at 6:30. Evening worship at 7:30. You are welcome to these services.

CALVARY BAPTIST: Rev. J. R. Summers, pastor. Saturday evening beginning at 8 at the

BROADWAY PRESBYTERIAN:

Peter Called to Service. John 1:35-42; Luke 5:1-11 for Sunday, January 1.

The purpose of the lessons of this quarter is "to learn from the experiences, activities and teachings of Peter, how the spirit and ideals of Christ may find practical expression in our experience and life today."

V. 40. "One of the two which heard Jesus speak, and followed him, was Andrew, Simon Peter's brother." John, the author of this gospel, was likely the one with Andrew, omitting his name because of modesty. They were disciples of John the Baptist, who likely witnessed Christ's baptism and were impressed with the testimony of John the Baptist, and therefore sought to know Jesus.

V. 41. "He first findeth his own brother Simon, and saith unto him, We have found the Messiah, which is being interpreted the Christ." In one's own family is the right place to begin Christian service. One will not bring another to Christ unless he has first himself found Him as Saviour.

V. 42. "And he brought him to Jesus. And when Jesus beheld him, he said, Thou art Simon, the son of Jona; thou shalt be called Cephas, which is by interpretation, a stone." Men of ordinary ability truly following the Lord are often instrumental in securing Christian converts of power. The Lord, by divine insight, knew the underlying qualities of character in Peter, and so he chose a name fitting Simon. It is character qualities that put meaning into a name.

V. 1, 2. "And it came to pass, that, as the people pressed upon him to hear the word of God, he stood by the lake of Gennesaret; and he saw two ships standing by the lake; but the fishermen were gone out of them, and were washing their nets." Jesus found a pulpit anywhere. He had a message and therefore the people flocked to him. The man with a message always gets the crowd.

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ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN. Missouri Synod. Broadway and Massachusetts avenue. Herman H. Heidbreder, pastor. Saturday, Dec. 31. New Year's Eve Communion service at 7:30 p. m. New Year's Eve Watch Party at 9:30 p. m. Midnight Candle Service at 11:30 p. m. Sunday, January 1 Sunday school at 9:20 a. m. Divine service (German) at 9:30 a. m. Divine service (English) at 10:45 a. m. Theme of sermon: "Greetings for the New Year." A cordial welcome to all who wish to worship with us. No evening worship. Annual business meeting, Sunday, January 8.

IMMANUEL EVANGELICAL AND REFORMED: Fourth and Vermont. Rev. Oscar J. Rump, pastor. Church school at 9:30. Miss Anna Mae Huffman, superintendent. Morning combination service at 10:30 with the pastor speaking on the topic, "Facing the New Year." The annual meeting of the church will be held in the church on next Sunday afternoon at 2. The senior league will meet at the church at 6:15 for fellowship supper and meeting.

SACRED HEART PARISH, Rev. C. Daniel, C. P. S., pastor. Masses Sundays 6:00, 8:00, 9:15 and 10:30 a. m. Week days, 6:15 and 8:00 a. m. Holy hour, Friday and Sunday evenings at 7:30.

ST. PATRICK'S PARISH: Rev. W. J. McGrane, M. A., pastor. Masses Sundays 6:30, 8 and 10 a. m. Week days 6:30 and 8:00 a. m. Novena, in honor of the Miraculous Medal, Tuesday evenings at 7:30.

of the ships, which was Simon's and prayed him that he would thrust out a little from the land. And he sat down and taught the people out of the ship." Evidently the crowd was so large that out of self-protection, the boat was moved a little from the shore. Christianity has a large place for an educational program, but the teachings must be truly Christian. To live right one must think right, hence the importance of teaching.

Vs. 9, 10. "For he was astonished, and all that were with him, at the draught of fishes which they had taken; and so was also James and John. And Jesus said unto Simon, Fear not; from henceforth thou shalt catch men." There are happy surprises in store for devoted followers of Jesus. Jesus wants helpers in the big business of the recovery of a lost world.

V. 11. "They forsook all and followed him." This is Christian consecration. Their first business was kingdom service. They might do a little fishing as a secondary matter—as a means of support.

When the Romans became Christians, the festival of New Year's was still kept, but in place of the old heathen practices the Church ordered that the day should be one of fasting, prayer and humiliation.

In England, the ancient heathen priests called Druids used to scrape the mistletoe from the oaks and distribute boughs of it among the people on New Year's Day. In certain parts of England and Scotland it was customary when the clock struck on New Year's eve, for the young people to rush off to the nearest spring of water. Whoever first tasted the water drawn, might look for good luck in the coming year.

A graceful Colonial custom is still kept up in many parts of the South. It is the exchange of calls. Great preparations are made for these receptions and open house is extended to all who choose to enter. It is the time of all times for renewing friendships.

The Chinese make their New Year the greatest of festival times. They pay not only their social debts, but their financial debts as well, so far as possible.

We are told that in some parts of Iceland, instead of friend greeting friend with, "How are you?" or "Good morning" as they meet, each says to the other in a pleasant way, "Be happy." It is a beautiful salutation, and if it comes from the heart, it means much.

Lesson Prayer. "We are grateful for a revealed Christ who manifested himself then and now to those who are willing to hear his voice. We pray for the art of soul winning that others may also know the Christ as their Lord and Saviour.

V. 4. "And when Simon Peter saw it, he fell down at Jesus' knees, saying, Depart from me, for I am a sinful man, O Lord." God's blessing had made Peter see himself as a sinner. There is little hope for a man spiritually until he recognizes his faults and his sins. "The greatest fault is to be conscious of none." To be conscious of God makes one conscious of his sins. This miracle of fishes gave undeniable evidence of the supernatural au-

thority of Jesus.

Vs. 5, 6. "And when they had this done, they inclosed a great multitude of fishes; and their net brake." It was by means of cooperation that the program of Jesus was made effective. By trusting and obeying, the results were far beyond expectation. Breaking nets are symbolic of God's loving gifts to our hearts when we trust him.

V. 7. "And they beckoned unto their partners, which were in the other ship, that they should come and help them. And they came, and filled both the ships, so that they began to sink." There are blessings enough in the depths of God's love to fill to overflowing the lives of others as well as ours. But others will never get any of these blessings unless we tell the good news.

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First Business Man: "Well, are you waiting to see what 1939 will do with us?"

Second Business Man: "Not me. I'm out to see what I can do with 1939."

DO YOU KNOW?

From which of Noah's sons was Abraham a descendant?

What promise did God make to Abraham?

For what trait was Abraham noted?

In what way did Jesus invite recognition of himself?

On what ground was Jesus condemned to death?

Answers in column eight.

BOOK REVIEW

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Notices

Election Notice

Sedalia, Mo., Dec. 26, 1938. The annual election of directors for the Porter Real Estate Company will be held at the office of the Company on Monday, January 3, 1939, from 11 A. M. to 3 P. M.

HERBERT L. ZOERNIG, Vice-President.

NONA B. WOOD, Secretary.

Notice to Stockholders

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Sedalia Bank and Trust Co., of Sedalia, Missouri will be held Tuesday, January 3, 1939 at the banking house for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing term and for the transaction of any other business that may properly be brought before said meeting.

WM. COURTYNE, Secy.

Stockholders Annual Meeting Notice

To the Common (Voting) Stockholders of Sedalia Industrial Loan and Investment Company, Sedalia, Missouri.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of Stockholders of Sedalia Industrial Loan and Investment Company will be held in the office of the Corporation, 122 East Second Street, Sedalia, Missouri, on Tuesday, January 10th, 1939, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., for the following purposes:

1. Electing nine Directors for the ensuing year.

2. Considering and voting upon resolutions ratifying and approving all acts of and things done by the officers and directors of the Corporation since the last annual meeting, as shown by the files and records of the Company.

3. Considering and voting upon a proposed amendment to the by-laws of the Company to make the second Tuesday in January of each year the regular annual Stockholders meeting day.

4. Transacting such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Dated at Sedalia, Missouri, this 25th day of December, 1938.

L. H. ARCHIAS, President.

CLAUDE L. BOUL, Secretary.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the City Light and Traction Company will be held on the 16th principal of the year, 1939 at the principal office of the corporation, in the City of Sedalia, State of Missouri, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors, and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

ALLEN O'BANNON, Secretary.

Notice Of Stockholders' Meeting

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of stockholders of Community Hotel Company, of Sedalia, Missouri, will be held in the Ambassador Room, mezzanine floor, Hotel Bothwell, northwest corner, Fourth and Ohio streets, Sedalia, Missouri, on Tuesday, the 10th day of January, 1939, beginning at 9 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing nine directors, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

Dated at Sedalia, Missouri, December 27, 1938.

J. E. CANNADAY, President.

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LA MONTE

(By Mrs. R. E. Kerby)

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Curry and Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Dill returned Monday evening from Crocker, Mo., where they spent Christmas day with Mrs. Curry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Salter.

Forrest Terry and son, Dexter, of Okmulgee, Okla., visited from Tuesday until Thursday with Mr.

and Mrs. C. E. Terry and Mrs. Belle Bobbitt.

Mrs. Nell Griffith, of Topeka, Kas., arrived Saturday to spend Christmas with the family of her sister, Mrs. Bon Burk.

Mr. and Mrs. James Allison and daughter, Barbara Lee, of Independence, arrived Saturday to spend Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Staples. Mr. Allison returned home Monday while Mrs. Allison and Barbara Lee remained for a

week's visit. Gregory Staples of Sedalia also spent Christmas at his parents home.

Irwin and Orville Lehner, who have been working in Nebraska, arrived Wednesday to spend Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Lehner. They were accompanied here by their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Plum, who will make an extended visit.

Mrs. Mary Wimer received a message apprising her of the serious illness of her son, Percy Wimer, of South Haven, Kas., following an operation on Monday.

Mrs. Lee Williams, of Warrensburg, Mo., and Mrs. Leo Hughes and family, of Knob Noster, visited Monday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hughes and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jackson. On Tuesday evening the latter attended a family turkey dinner at the Lee Williams home in Warrensburg.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Wharton entertained with a turkey dinner Monday, Mr. and Mrs. Irl Kuhlman, of Concordia, Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Wharton and family and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Dyer.

Jack Parsell, who teaches in the university at Madison, Wis., visited from Tuesday until Thursday with his aunt, Mrs. C. E. Terry and Mr. Terry.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Price had as Christmas dinner guests their daughter, Mrs. Stanley Williams, Mr. Williams and their daughter, Mary Lee, of Okmulgee, Okla. Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Price and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Glasscock, Buster Price and Miss Martha Chevalier.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Swank, of Dayton, O., left Wednesday for their home after a holiday vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Parker.

Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Harris were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brunsman, of St. Louis, Mr. and Mrs. P. V. Harris and Miss Elizabeth Allison, of Sedalia.

Miss Mabel Harris spent Christmas day in Warrensburg with Walter Hardy and daughter.

Frank Jack, of Bonner Springs, Kas., arrived Friday for a week's visit with Jerry Sullivan and sister, Miss Maggie.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jerome and daughters Jo Mary, Inez and Patty Joy, of Warrensburg, visited friends here Christmas eve. Mrs. W. D. Wade is very ill at her home with pneumonia, and under the care of a trained nurse.

R. S. Glassburn, who attends the Illinois State University at Urbana, Ill., arrived Friday to spend the holidays with his wife and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Price.

Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Sullens left Sunday night for Marionville where they will visit the family of his brother, Roy Sullens.

Mrs. Minnie Downs, of Kansas City, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Shelley and daughters, Dorothy Mae and Virginia, were guests at Christmas dinner of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Shelley.

A Christmas family dinner was enjoyed by the following at the home of Mrs. Mary Wimer Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Wimer and family, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Davis and son, Sidney, and Logan Davis, all of Knob Noster, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thompson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Karl Wimer and daughter, Shirley Jeane.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Files at turkey dinner Christmas day were Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Terry, Miss Inez Terry, Mrs. Blanche Sexton, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Terry Files and baby son, and Claire Files.

Hugh Caffee, of Kansas City, spent Sunday and Monday with his uncle, Henry Murray and Mrs. Murray.

TURKEY DINNER TO M. F. A. EMPLOYEES

A turkey dinner was served to the employees and their families

of the Producers Produce Co., of the M. F. A., in the basement of the Epworth church Thursday evening at 7:30. J. V. Kesterson, who is manager of the plant, served as toastmaster. The invocation was given by Ernie Goldsmith and talks were made by Ralph Thomas, Lester Ball and Mrs. J. E. Kesterson. Music was furnished throughout the evening by White's "Hill Billy" band. About sixty enjoyed the event.

GET READY ON JOB INSURANCE CLAIMS

JEFFERSON CITY, Dec. 30—(P)—Missouri's unemployment compensation commission was set today for the flood of applications expected when the state starts paying job insurance in January.

Assignment of 54 claims depu-

ties to regional offices in 32 cities virtually completed the commission's preparations to begin payment of an estimated \$20,000,000 to jobless workers in 1939.

Registration of unemployed applicants will begin next week, although actual payments will not start until expiration of the three weeks waiting period prescribed by state law.

These four supervising claims deputies, charged with co-ordination of the statewide activities, were appointed today:

Humbert Dwyer of Kansas City, whose district includes Platte, Clay, Jackson and Cass counties.

Michael Carroll of St. Louis, in charge of a district including 31 northeast Missouri counties, with headquarters in Hannibal.

Chilton J. Estes of University City, whose south-central and southeast district has 36 counties with headquarters in Flat River. Alda H. Loos of Kansas City, heading a district of 42 southwest counties has headquarters at Springfield.

Until a supervising deputy is assigned, Dustin Avery of St. Louis, a senior claims deputy, will be in charge of the St. Louis city and county district.

WALLACE ALLOTS ROADS \$136,000,000

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30—(P)—Secretary of Agriculture Wallace apportioned \$136,000,000 to the states and territories today as federal aid for highway improvement and elimination of grade crossings during the fiscal year beginning next July 1.

The apportionment included \$100,000,000 for principal highways; \$15,000,000 for feeder roads, \$20,000,000 for grade crossing work; and \$1,000,000 for improvement of main roads through public lands.

The apportionment of funds for principal highways, secondary roads and grade crossing projects, respectively, included:

Missouri \$2,986,426, \$447,964 and \$596,184.

CHRISTMAS PARTY BY JUNIOR MACCABEES

The Junior Maccabees held their annual Christmas party Thursday night at which time a very interesting program was enjoyed by the members.

The following program was held:

"My Faith Looks Up To Thee," by the audience.

Reading, by Norwood Lickliter.

Piano solo, by Miss Velma Hamilton.

Cornet solo, by Charles Eirls.

Song, by Anna Rottler.

Piano and violin duet, by Velva and Melva Hamilton.

"Song of Welcome," by Berdine Weller.

Duet by Anna and Daniel Weller.

Song, by Mary Worley.

Piano solo, by Alberta Jean Bardwell.

Piano solo, by Helen Patterson.

Solo, Betty Ellsworth.

Piano solo by Viola Richardson.

An address by L. J. Harned.

"Bless Be the Tie that Binds" by Audience.

Prayer was led by Judge Dimmitt Hoffman.

Candy was given the Juniors.

REHEARING IS ASKED FOR CONVICTED MURDERER

1932, was affirmed December 20 by the supreme court, filed a motion for rehearing today. David was indicted as a participant in the Dr. I. D. Kelley kidnaping in St. Louis in 1931 but was not tried on the charge.

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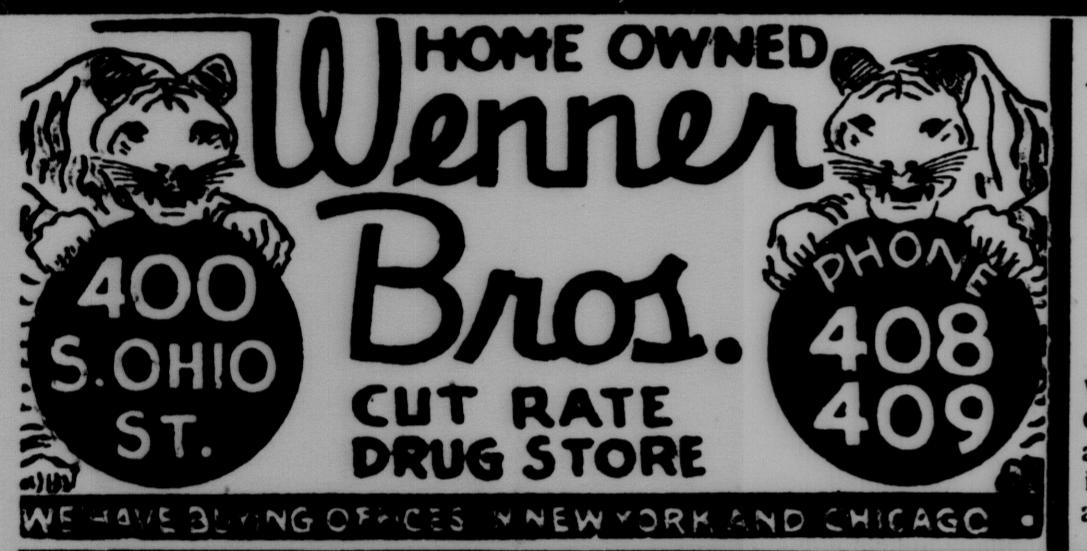
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